

5627. RUBUS NUTKANUS.**Salmon berry.**

From Blaine, Wash. Presented by Mr. C. E. Flint. Received November 6, 1900.
A large red raspberry growing on the Pacific Coast of North America.

5628. TRITICUM VULGARE.**Wheat.**

From Portland, Oreg. Presented by Mr. R. C. Judson. Received December 4, 1900.

Yaroslaw winter wheat. Grown from No. 2792; imported from the Government of St. Petersburg, Russia, in March, 1899, by Mr. M. A. Carleton. Considered objectionable for Oregon because of bearded character.

5629. TRITICUM VULGARE.**Wheat.**

From Portland, Oreg. Presented by Mr. R. C. Judson. Received December 4, 1900.

Banaka winter wheat. Grown from No. 2956; imported by Mr. M. A. Carleton in March, 1899.

5630. TRITICUM VULGARE.**Wheat.**

From Portland, Oreg. Presented by Mr. R. C. Judson. Received December 4, 1900.

Sandomir winter wheat. Grown from No. 2958, imported by Mr. M. A. Carleton in March, 1899.

5631. HUMULUS LUPULUS.**Hop.**

From Schwetzingen, Germany. Received through Mr. D. G. Fairchild (No. 456, Nov. 6, 1900), December 5, 1900.

"Cuttings of the Schwetzingen hop, one of the best early varieties, ripening the middle of August. Not considered by Professor Braungart as so delicate as the 'Saaz' or 'Spalt,' and on this account may thrive better on American soils." (*Fairchild.*)

5632. CAESALPINIA BONDUCELLA.

From Manila, P. I. Received July, 1900.

This genus of leguminosae contains some 40 species; inhabitants of the Tropics of both hemispheres. Robust, erect trees, shrubs, or woody prickly climbers; leaves large; flowers showy, yellow. In some parts of India it grows at an altitude of 2,500 feet. Oil from the seeds is useful in convulsions and palsy, debility after fever, and other diseases. Is said to soften the skin and remove pimples. The seeds are used instead of quinine, and also as an ointment. In disorders of the liver the leaves are considered very efficacious. The nuts are used for making bracelets and necklaces. The seeds are used by children in place of marbles and in other games. The root is also used for medical purposes.

5633. JUGLANS REGIA.**Walnut.**

From Mettmenstetten, Switzerland. Presented by Hon. A. Lieberknecht, U. S. Consul at Zürich.

5634. GARCINIA MANGOSTANA.**Mangosteen.**

From Ceylon. Received through Mr. D. G. Fairchild, December 7, 1900. Presented by Dr. Valentine Duke, of Newara, Eliya.

Fruits covered with a coating of paraffin to preserve the germinative power of the seeds.

5635. TRITICUM VULGARE.**Wheat.**

From Kurman-Kemelchi, Central Crimea. Received through Mr. M. A. Carleton, December 12, 1900.

Crimean. "A hard red winter wheat, one of the best in the world. Adapted for trial in Kansas, Oklahoma, northern Texas, Missouri, and southern portions of Iowa and Nebraska." (*Carleton.*)